

## AT DANVILLE.

## Death of Mr. Nutting.

Joseph M. Nutting died Thursday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. Dole. He was ill only a short time and his death was the result of a stroke of paralysis which he suffered about a week ago. Mr. Nutting was born in Danville, Feb. 27, 1821, being the son of Samuel and Deliverance Nutting. He was one of a family of five children, Mrs. Dole being the only living member. It is a rather peculiar coincidence that three of the brothers should return to die at the home of their sister. Harvey S. died in Jan. 1898, Almon R., who had lived in California, returned the week before his brother Harvey died and living four years died in Feb. 1903; and Joseph M., who came East in April of this year. Mr. Nutting spent the greater part of his life in Northfield, Minn., going there about 48 years ago. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. G. H. Cummings, with two selections: "One Sweetly Sought," and "Abide With Me." The bearers were Nelson A. and Harvey S. Dole, Wallace Nutting and Byron G. Varnum.

S. O. Morse is moving this week and Ward Gills' family are moving into the Morse building.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Batastons and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey and children of Hardwick, and Mrs. George Richardson and son of East Barnet, met at the Stiles farm, (their old home place) and enjoyed a picnic dinner last week.

David Ammel is visiting his family at Portland, Maine.

Misses Marion and Helen Lynch of St. Johnsbury have been visiting at D. P. Coveny's.

Mrs. J. K. Kimball and Miss Martha A. King of Amherst, Mass., are visiting at Rev. G. H. Cummings'.

C. H. Goodnough of Barton Landing has been visiting his brother, B. E. Goodnough.

Miss Ida Page has gone to West Newbury, Mass., to visit her aunt, Mrs. Gowen.

Rev. Joseph Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crane and Miss Hattie Choate are attending campmeeting at Lyndonville this week.

Lewis Lord of Barre has been visiting at Ellsworth Woodward's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Currier are visiting relatives in Enfield and Lebanon, N. H.

Miss Alice Sanborn of Winchester, Mass., is boarding at F. J. Preston's.

Frank Ranney and Misses Mabel and Florence Ranney of West Concord have been spending a few days at C. S. Ranney's.

Miss Adelle Blodgett of Waterford is visiting friends in town.

Miss Evelyn Buck of Concord, Mass., is at W. A. Preston's.

Miss Annie Sprague of Vergennes and Mrs. S. J. Lewis and daughter of Manchester, N. H., are visiting at P. H. McDonald's.

Mrs. R. Bruce Ricketts and daughter Jean of Wilkesbarre, Pa., are stopping at E. W. Sturdevant's.

Mrs. Mary Nelson of Barre has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Patrick Cunningham.

O. G. Taylor and family and Mrs. E. M. Beal and daughter of Lowell, Mass., are visiting at Auburn Taylor's.

J. E. Tinker went to Albany Monday on a short business trip.

Mr. Griffin and wife of Gloucester, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Griffin's sister, Mrs. Mary Frye.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morse and children of Haverhill, Mass., have been visiting at S. D. Morse's.

Miss Mary Taylor of Montclair, N. J., is visiting Miss Carol Sturdevant.

John Dana and son, Sam, of Portland, Me., have been visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. J. S. Durant.

G. W. Batchelder of Fairbairn, Minn., Mrs. Louise Richards, Mrs. L. S. Green, and Edith M. Campbell of Somerville, Mass., J. S. Cameron of New York, Mrs. Henry Ely and daughter, Mary, and Mrs. C. H. Stevens of St. Johnsbury, are at the Elm House.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hamilton of St. Johnsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Pliny Hamilton and children of Woodstock, and Dr. L. J. Evans of Sawyerville, P. Q., are visiting at Rev. Joseph Hamilton's.

Mrs. J. M. Roger of Lawrence, Mass., is at Thurber's and Mr. and Mrs. Foster and Robert, who are guests at Thurber's, are taking a trip to Boston.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church will hold a social Wednesday afternoon and evening, September 2.

Winchester Smith of Hyde Park, Mass., arrived in town Saturday and is stopping at F. J. Preston's.

Miss Ina Carr of St. Johnsbury, is visiting at N. H. Page's.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Burdick and children of Boston, are visiting his father, N. W. Burdick.

WEST CONCORD.

Mrs. Robert Bennett has been entering, taining her sister, Miss Lillian Blood and Mrs. Helen Mayo of Whitefield, N. H.

Miss Bessie Smith of Victory has been spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Merle Smith.

Miss Ellen Smith, who has been working for Mrs. Ira Lewis, came home last Tuesday and will remain a week, prior to going to Barre, where she will enter Goddard Seminary.

Joel Blackmer of Stockbridge joined his wife here Saturday and together they are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Alvin Smith.

William Pratt has commenced work on the new granite sheds. They will be 70 feet in length.

O. P. Harvey is laying a new side track to his mill in Victory and will commence logging as soon as it is completed.

Selim Grout is visiting in Brantford, Conn.

Miss Etta Harvey, who has been working at Fittsade, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Resden Joselyn of Lowell, Mass., is visiting at Marshall Joslyn's.

Clarence Cutting has been appointed collector for the United States Health and Accident Insurance Co., of Saginaw, Mich.

The play, "A Modern Ananias" is to be repeated here on Friday evening, September 4, for the benefit of the Library Association.

## BRADFORD.

## Family Reunion.

A pleasant gathering was held at the home of John Worthley, of West Bradford, August 12, it being a reunion of the descendants of his grandfather, Jesse Worthley, who came from Ware, N. H., and settled on the farm where John Worthley now lives, 105 years ago. He married Judith Calif, of Ware, N. H., and both passed the remainder of their lives on the place. His son, B. L. Worthley, was born and died there and John Worthley's children are the fourth generation of Worthleys that have lived on the place.

The company was composed of residents of Bradford, St. Johnsbury, Waterbury, Corinth, West Fairlee, Oxford, N. H., and Malden, and Amesbury, Mass., numbering about 60, all of whom were direct descendants of Jesse Worthley, or husbands or wives of such descendants. Some of the relatives thus assembled had not met for many years and the meeting was a most happy one. Seventeen others who should have been there to make the reunion complete were unable to be present. Most of the time was passed in a social way. Tables were set in the dooryard in which was served a picnic dinner. After dinner the company listened to a few selections of music, the reading of a poem written for the occasion by Henry Taplin, of Newfields, N. H., and brief remarks by Arthur H. Sargent, of the University of Vermont, Burlington, giving items in the history of the family since Thomas Worthley came from England and settled in Ware then called Hale's Town, N. H. about the year 1748. Several photographs of the company were taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa T. Shaw left last week for Bennington, where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge of Brooklyn, Mass., spent Sunday at Hotel Low after leaving the Boston party of Vermonters at Newbury. Mr. Craig is vice president of the Vermonters Association of Boston.

H. A. Babbitt and Miss Helen Babbitt of Montpelier are visiting at Edgar Hunt's.

F. B. Haselton and wife of Frankfort, Ind., John Haselton of Illinois, Mrs. Lizzie Hale of Malden, Mass., Miss Clara Haselton of Haverhill and Gen. and Mrs. Gilmore of Fairlee, visited Mrs. H. B. Chamberlain last week.

Miss Elsie Poor of Berlin has been spending a week in town.

Mrs. George Low of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending a few weeks at the Blakey mansion.

The library was opened Saturday after being closed a week while all the woodwork was being re-finished. It now presents a much improved appearance.

Mrs. Olive Baldwin was called to Haverhill, Saturday, to attend the funeral of Miss Julia Currier, who died in Northampton, Mass., Thursday.

The funeral was held at the home of Mrs. Henry Merrill in Haverhill and the interment was made in the cemetery on the Upper Plain in this town. Miss Currier's childhood was spent here and she will be remembered by a large circle of friends.

Miss Bessie Shepard of Bethel is visiting Miss Lena Allen.

Albion Libby and wife of Laconia are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Libby.

Miss Della Albree is back at her position in the New England Telephone office, after having a week's vacation.

Miss Hattie Craig of Littleton has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craig.

Mrs. Ab Buckley and two children are spending a few weeks with relatives in St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. Eugene Leavitt and son of Southern Pines, N. C., are visiting at John Sargent's.

Henry C. McDuffie is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism and is confined to his room.

Miss Ethel Webb of Montpelier spent last week with her father, Rev. A. H. Webb.

Rev. Mr. Leet of Hartford, Conn., preached at the Congregational church Sunday.

Francis L. Pratt of Pomona, Cal., has been visiting his cousin, Mrs. O. A. Baldwin, for several days.

Miss Alice Crook is spending two weeks at a beach in Massachusetts.

Mrs. E. M. Roscoe, who has been spending the summer with her parents, W. C. Sanborn and wife, returned to Waterbury last week.

Mrs. Warren Johnson and Miss Grace Woodward of West Newton, Mass., are visiting at J. M. Warden's.

Mrs. Mary Morrill of Nashua, N. H., visited Mrs. G. K. Clement last week.

Mrs. W. E. Gage spent a part of last week in Croton visiting her nephew, Henry Kemp.

Mrs. Charles Smith is spending a few weeks with Mrs. W. S. Williams.

Ed Woods of Concord, N. H., is in town this week attending the fair.

A. T. Clarke is spending the week in town the guest of W. E. Gage.

Miss Gertrude Dewey spent Sunday in town the guest of Miss Ada McIndoe.

Harry Wiswall of Newton Lower Falls, Mass., was in town last week.

H. S. Homer of Boston is in town.

The Bradford Academy Alumni Association held their annual meeting at Hotel Low Saturday evening and elected the old board of officers.

Sidney Williams of Springfield, Mass., is spending his vacation in town.

Nellie Dowd finished work at the New England Telephone office Saturday. Miss Blanche Lachance takes her place.

Arthur Edwards of Springfield is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Edwards.

Fred Chase, who has been working in a store in Guilford during the summer vacation, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. C. H. Carpenter and two children of Montpelier spent Sunday with friends in town.

J. E. Worthen of Peterboro was in town over Sunday.

EAST HARDWICK.

Ralph Nelson, only son of George Nelson, while attempting to put up a fishing rod August 11, fell backward upon a sharp iron which projected from a springboard, causing a serious injury.

The doctor was summoned and all possible was done to relieve him, but he died Aug. 13. Ralph was 13 years old, a quiet boy who made friends every-

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where. The funeral services were largely attended. Rev. J. P. Martin officiated, assisted by Rev. Joseph Goodrich. There were many beautiful flowers furnished by friends. The family have the sympathy of all in their sorrow.

LUNENBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. Burleigh Roberts and Mrs. Hattie Weeks of Lancaster were in town several days ago on a pleasure drive.

Miss Martha Brackett and Mrs. King were in town Friday.

Horace Miller of Littleton made his parents a short visit the last of the week.

Miss Barnard is visiting her sister, Mrs. Renfrew, in Plymouth, for a few days.

A large delegation of the W. R. C. attended the convention at St. Johnsbury, Thursday. They report a fine time, although the day was rainy.

A large party from Lancaster enjoyed a picnic on Lunenburg Heights one day last week.

Frank P. Davison and family visited his family here last week.

Sherman Balch and family are visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. P. B. Fisk, at St. Johnsbury Centre.

WEST DANVILLE.

Charles Odekirik died last Sunday night after a short and painful illness, caused by disease of the brain. Mr. Odekirik has been in rather feeble health for several months, but has been able to be about until Friday night when he was taken violently insane. Mr. Odekirik was a hard working and industrious man and will be much missed in the community. He leaves a wife and two sons to mourn his loss. The funeral was held Tuesday at the Methodist church of which he was a member, Rev. Joseph Hamilton officiating.

Arthur Brickett of Boston, formerly of this place, is spending a two weeks' vacation with relatives and friends in town.

About 40 neighbors and friends of George Farrington gave him a surprise party at his home last Monday night and left as a token of their friendship a purse of money together with their wishes for a pleasant and prosperous life in his new home in Burlington. Mr. Farrington left for Burlington Tuesday morning.

RYEGATE.

The Ladies' Missionary society held a very pleasant social at the home of J. H. Nelson on Tuesday evening last. J. R. W. Beattie of Boston was present with his photograph and furnished music for the evening.

Miss Edna Goodfellow of South Ryegate visited her sister, Miss Emma Goodfellow, at W. H. Nelson's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Symes left Tuesday for Colorado to visit Mr. Symes' sister. They will visit in South Dakota before returning home.

Prof. Lewis Meader of Providence, R. I., and Percy Meader of Alabama are visiting their brother, Granville Meader.

BARNET.

Death of Mrs. A. E. Stevens.

The death of Mrs. Ann Eliza Stevens occurred at the home of her son, Walter, late Friday evening and came very unexpectedly to many of her old friends. Mrs. Stevens had only come to Barnet Monday evening to visit her son, when Tuesday morning she suffered a shock from which she never rallied. Ann Eliza Stevens, daughter of the late Horace Evans of Danville, was born in Danville, Sept. 23, 1827, one of a large family of children, all of which have passed away. She was the widow of the late Solomon Stevens, Jr., of Barnet. Mrs. Stevens is survived by three of the six children born to her: Walter and Ernest of Barnet and Bertha J. of St. Johnsbury. The oldest son, Willie, died in Chicago seven years ago, a daughter, May, died in Boston a number of years ago and the other child died in infancy. Mrs. Stevens' home has been in Barnet much of the time during the last 50 years and she was well known here and beloved by all her old friends and neighbors. Six months ago she went to St. Johnsbury to make her home. She will be greatly missed by her circle of Barnet friends, by whom she will always be remembered for her kindness and bright and cheerful personality. The funeral was largely attended at the home of her son, Saturday

afternoon, Rev. J. K. Kilborn officiating, and the interment was in the Stevens' family lot in the village cemetery.

"Could we but know  
The land that ends our dark,  
uncertain travel  
Where life's happy hills  
and meadows lie,  
Ah! if beyond the spirit's inmost call  
Aught of that country could we surely  
know  
Who would not go?  
Could we but hear the hovering  
angels' high imagined chorus,  
Or, catch betimes with longing eye  
and clear  
One radiant vision of the realm before us,  
Just for one moment to see and hear,  
Ah! who would fear?"

Dr. Elliott and Hamilton Stuart recently made a trip to Rumney, N. H., in Stuart's automobile.

Mrs. Perkins of Jefferson, N. H., is visiting at Chandler Whitney's.

Ed. Smith and family of Cambridge, Mass., are spending two weeks at E. J. Smith's.

Miss Eva Gibson returned to Roxbury, Mass., Friday.

Mrs. Herbert Stanley and two children, Laura Stanley and Beatrice and Katherine Potts, visited friends here Friday.

Richard Stanley of Plymouth is visiting at W. T. Brock's.

There was a delightful dinner party at J. T. Kennerson's, Saturday, when a large party of old friends partook of the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Kennerson. Among those present were Miss Abbie Chamberlain of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Jeffers and Miss March of Melrose, Mass., Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Bailey and Miss Bailey of Peacham.

Claude Gillilan is spending his vacation with his family at Mrs. J. D. Abbott's.

Mr. Whitell and wife of Barnet spent Sunday with Mrs. Laird.

Miss Annie Perry is visiting friends in Ryegate.

Mrs. Albert Cole and son of Craftsbury have been visiting at E. J. Smith's.

Joshua Kenerson left here Monday for Bradford Falls with the "King of Barnet" whose weight at present writing is over 2000 pounds. From Bradford Mr. Kenerson goes to Sherbrooke, then to Barton and St. Johnsbury. Mr. Garfield goes with him.

Work was begun Monday on the new tomb at the cemetery.

WHEELLOCK.

Gib Gray has sold his house in the village to Fred Harding.

Miss Pearl Snelling has finished work at Hardwick and returned to her home.

Miss Grace Hoffman has returned from her visit in Hardwick.

Mrs. Preston and Miss Carrie Buck of Boston are stopping at Caledonia Spring House.

Mrs. Tromer and Mr. Ricker of Boston are visiting at Professor O. D. Mathewson's "Rustic" farm.

Mrs. Fred Lindsay and son Guy of Barnet visited at A. Craig's and Hugh Mathewson's last week.

T. Patterson went to Walden last week and his daughter returned home with him.

Miss Emma Butterfield visited her cousin, who is very sick at Sutton, Saturday.

Mrs. Ranney who went to Sutton in the spring has returned to the Caledonia Spring House.

J. McDowell is repairing the grist mill and has hired Dan McLain to work another year.

NORTH WALDEN.

An interesting service was held in the Four Corners school house Sunday afternoon with sermon by Rev. Mr. Noon out of town. An appointment for next Sunday at the same time and place has been made by Rev. Mr. White, a baptist preacher from East Hardwick.

Madam Beal accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Fred Fisher, to her home in Mansfield, Mass., last week Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kittridge returned to their home in Warren, N. H., Saturday.

Ernest Orton and family are making an extended visit to Essex, Fairfax, Montpelier and Barre.

Harry Barnett is taking an enforced holiday from his work in Greenboro because of too close contact with a circular saw, which badly lacerated several fingers on his left hand.

Miss Lettie Gillis of Danville with her grandfather, visited at O. D. Kingsbury's recently.

Charles Gray has purchased the house formerly owned by F. W. Cheever now of St. Johnsbury.

WEST WATERFORD.

Miss Edna Hovey, stenographer at New York, is visiting her parents for two weeks.

Mrs. Bertha Macomber visited her sister, Mrs. E. P. Carpenter, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hovey entertained relatives here last Wednesday. Their guests were Emily Townsend, who lived in her home in Cleveland, this week.

Herbert Carpenter from Stockton, Cal., is visiting his parents.

Miss Emily Townsend of Cleveland, who has been here for a short visit, was given a reception at Emory Hovey's last week. Dinner was served on the lawn, and it was discovered that the farm on which this dinner was served has been in the Hovey family 100 years. After dinner came the speaking, Simon Hovey of East St. Johnsbury being the first speaker. He said he had known the Hoveys for the last 50 years and found them all right. E. P. Carpenter, who has lived in this locality all his life, spoke in highest praise of the families of that name. Emory Hovey responded for the farm and said he had done his best to keep it up well. His children represent the fourth generation that has lived on the farm.

HARVEY.

Henry Blair has been at work for a few days the past week for James McGill.

Harvey Dunn of South Peacham was at J. L. Frye's last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hills of Cabot visited at O. E. Hale's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Buel visited friends in Walden recently.

Rose McGill goes to Portland, Me., this week for a few weeks' visit among friends.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred P. Gale and daughter, Ella, of Plainfield, were guests at O. E. Hale's the last of the week.

## AT THE 'VILLE.

Recent navy orders announce that Chaplain Arthur W. Stone, formerly of this place is detached from the ship Constellation and ordered to the ship Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Palmer who have been visiting Mr. Palmer's sister, Mrs. Dodge, for some time, have returned to their home in Boston.

Elaborate preparations are on foot for the celebrating of the 100th anniversary of the birth of John Danton, the town's oldest citizen. The date is September 2, the place Music Hall, and everyone is cordially invited to attend and greet this veteran gentleman whose long and useful life has been mostly spent among us. It is expected that his many friends will join in presenting him with suitable testimonials of the occasion. It is hoped there will be a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Willard of Boston are visiting old friends in town.

There is talk of holding a reunion of the old Amity club, a social organization which flourished here a few years ago.

Mrs. Harry Colby and daughter, Doris, of West Lebanon, have been visiting friends in town.

Mrs. B. F. Lincoln has returned from a visit of ten weeks to her son, Ben, in Munising, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steele of St. Johnsbury spent Sunday with Mrs. Lincoln.

Miss Daisy Powers is assisting E. J. Blodgett in his store for a few weeks.

The Wilson and Hutchins families have returned from their camp at Lake Morey.

Charles Wheeler and daughter, Mary, from Kansas, have been visiting friends in town and renewing old acquaintances.

Charles Wheeler was a native of Barton, and being left an orphan at the age of 16 took his two younger brothers and started for the West, with a ticket for Omaha and \$10 in his pocket. By dint of hard work and perseverance he has worked his way to an important position and cared for his brothers as long as they lived. He has won a position as engineer of one of the last western trains and is a fine example of the kind of men Vermont raises. His family includes a wife, daughter and two sons.

Remember the special school meeting this evening, to decide on the cost of the new schoolhouse, elect a building committee, and other necessary business. A good, large, modern schoolhouse is needed, as everyone will admit, and all interested should be present.

An interesting lecture was given Friday evening by Rev. M. C. Peters of Baltimore on "How to Make Things Go." The attendance was not large, but those present spoke highly of the lecture.

At the special village meeting Saturday evening it was voted to exempt the Gordon Bros. from taxation and furnish them water and lights for ten years. It is hoped this new industry will prove in every way successful.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graves spent Sunday at Barton.

Miss Martha Ingerson has gone to Littleton to work in the telephone exchange.

An exciting ball game was played Saturday between the regular nine and the "Has-beens", captained by J. S. Schofield. The "has-beens" included some excellent players but they are probably a little out of practice, and were defeated 16 to 4. A good game was played and an enthusiastic crowd was present.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell have returned to their home in Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. Charles Darling and children have returned home from Berry, P. Q.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chase have gone to St. Leon Springs, where Mrs. Chase will remain for a while for the benefit of her rheumatism.